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January 03, 2022

Nathan Ochsner, Clerk

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION**

IN RE:

GRIDDY ENERGY, LLC¹
DEBTOR

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CASE NO. 21-30923 (MI)
(Chapter 11)

**ORDER ON LIMITED OBJECTION TO ADMINISTRATIVE STATUS OF
CLAIM NO. 213 OF WILLIAM HIGHTOWER**

CAME ON to be considered this day the Limited Objection to Administrative Status of Claim No. 213 of William Hightower (the “Claim Objection”), objecting to the asserted administrative priority status of the Stretto Claim No. 213 (the “Claim”) and seeking to reclassify the Claim as a Class 5 – Consumer Claim. The Court, having reviewed the Claim Objection, the confirmed Plan, the record in this case and having considered the evidence presented in support of the Claim Objection and argument of counsel, is of the opinion the Claim Objection is well founded and cause exists to sustain same. It is accordingly,

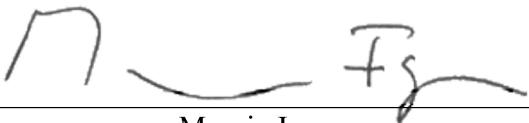
ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED the Claim Objection is granted; it is further

ORDERED that the Claim shall be and hereby is disallowed as an administrative priority claim; it is further

ORDERED that the Claim shall be classified as a Class 5 Consumer Claim under the Plan; it is further

ORDERED that this Order seeks only to determine the correct classification of the Claim, without determination as to the amount, validity or nature of the Claim, which determination, if any, shall be reserved for future disposition.

Signed: January 03, 2022



 Marvin Isgur
 United States Bankruptcy Judge

¹ The last four digits of the Debtor’s federal tax identification number are 1396. The mailing address for the Debtor is P.O. Box 1288, Greens Farms, CT 06838.

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Southern District of TexasIn re:
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Official Committee Of Unsecured Creditor
DebtorsCase No. 21-30923-mi
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intp	+ Griddy Technologies LLC, Griddy Holdings LLC, Grid, c/o Marty L. Brimimage, Jr., Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP, 2300 N. Field St., Suite 1800, Dallas, TX 75201-4675
intp	+ Karen Prescott, c/o Jordan Holzer & Ortiz, 500 N Shoreline Blvd., Suite 900, Corpus Christi, TX 78401-0658
cr	+ Lisa Sandifer Khoury, 6227 Oleander, Baytown, TX 77523-8252
intp	State of Texas, c/o Texas Attorney General's Office, Bankruptcy & Collections Division, P. O. Box 12548 MC-008, Austin, TX 78711-2548
op	+ Stretto, 410 Exchange, Suite 100, Irvine, CA 92602-1331
cr	Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts, Revenue Acco, John Mark Stern, PO Box 12548, Austin, TX 78711-2548
cr	+ Texas-New Mexico Power Company, Jackson Walker LLP, Attn: Bruce J. Ruzinsky, 1401 McKinney Street, Suite 1900, Houston, TX 77010-1900
intp	+ multiple injured and death case tort claimants, c/o Jordan Holzer & Ortiz, 500 N Shoreline, Suite 900, Corpus Christi, TX 78401-0658

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cr		Macquarie Energy LLC
cr		Macquarie Investments US Inc.
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intp		Public Utility Commission of Texas
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I, Joseph Speetjens, declare under the penalty of perjury that I have sent the attached document to the above listed entities in the manner shown, and prepared the Certificate of Notice and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Meeting of Creditor Notices only (Official Form 309): Pursuant to Fed .R. Bank. P.2002(a)(1), a notice containing the complete Social Security Number (SSN) of the debtor(s) was furnished to all parties listed. This official court copy contains the redacted SSN as required by the bankruptcy rules and the Judiciary's privacy policies.

Date: Jan 05, 2022

Signature: /s/Joseph Speetjens

CM/ECF NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING

The following persons/entities were sent notice through the court's CM/ECF electronic mail (Email) system on January 3, 2022 at the address(es) listed below:

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